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- (a) To qualify for a license, an applicant shall be an individual who meets the requirements of this section.
  - (b) The applicant shall be of good moral character.
  - (c) The applicant shall be at least 18 years old.
- (d) An applicant for an occupational therapist license shall have successfully:
- (1) Graduated from an educational program in occupational therapy that is recognized by the Board and accredited by ACOTE or any other nationally recognized programmatic accrediting agency; and
- (2) Completed the equivalent of at least 6 months of supervised, full—time field work experience at a recognized educational institution or in a training program approved by the educational institution where the applicant met the academic requirements.
- (e) An applicant for an occupational therapy assistant license shall have successfully:
- (1) Graduated from an educational program for occupational therapy assistants that is recognized by the Board and accredited by ACOTE or any other nationally recognized programmatic accrediting agency; and
- (2) Completed the equivalent of at least 4 months of supervised, full—time field work experience at a recognized educational institution or in a training program approved by the educational institution where the applicant met the academic requirements.
- (f) The applicant shall pass the appropriate examination given by NBCOT or any other national credentialing organization approved by the Board.
- (g) The applicant shall submit to a criminal history records check in accordance with  $\S 10-302.1$  of this subtitle.

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